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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT IN CLERKS OFFICE
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	U.S. DISTRICT COURT
Plaintiff,)	DISTRICT OF MASS.
)	
v.)	Civil Action No. 04-10627-RCL
)	
ONE PAINTING/PASTEL TITLED "LA,)	
COIFFURE" BY EDGAR DEGAS,)	
Defendant.)	

MOTION FOR ENTRY OF DEFAULT

The United States of America, by and through its attorney, Michael J. Sullivan, United States Attorney for the District of Massachusetts, hereby requests that default be entered pursuant to Rule 55(a) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure against Arnold Katzen, and all other persons claiming an interest in one painting/pastel titled "La Coiffure" by Edgar Degas (the "Defendant Degas"), for failure to file an answer or otherwise to defend, as provided for in Rule C of the Supplemental Rules for Certain Admiralty and Maritime Claims.

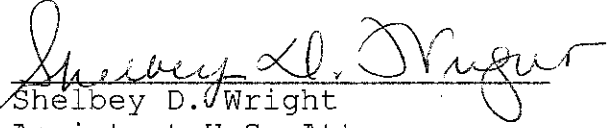
In support of this application, the United States submits
the attached Affidavit.

Respectfully submitted,

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
By its attorneys,

MICHAEL J. SULLIVAN
United States Attorney

By:


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Dated: 6/25/04

SO ORDERED AND ALLOWED


REGINALD C. LINDSAY
United States District Judge

Date: _____

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Shelbey D. Wright, Assistant U.S. Attorney, hereby
certify that a true copy of the foregoing Motion for Entry of
Default, as well as the Affidavit in Support of Motion for Entry
of Default, was served upon William Kettlewell, Esquire, Dwyer &
Collora, 600 Atlantic Avenue, Boston, Massachusetts 02110, as
counsel for Arnold Katzen, by first class mail, postage prepaid.

Dated: 6/25/04


Shelbey D. Wright
Assistant U.S. Attorney

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